



KENTUCKY BOARD OF MEDICAL IMAGING AND RADIATION THERAPY

UPDATE

MARCH 2021

NEW BOARD MEMBERS

On January 14, 2021, Governor Andy Beshear made appointments to the Board. Each board member will serve four-year terms that expire October 31, 2024.

Nancy E. Uhls, CNMT, of Franklin, was appointed to represent licensed nuclear medicine technologists.

Eric S. Burchfield, R.T.(R)(CT), of Arjay, was appointed to represent licensed radiographers.

Keri L. Leamy, R.T.(R)(CT), of Louisville, was appointed to represent licensed radiographers with a post-primary certification.

Sharon Whitaker, RT(R)(M), of Irvine, was reappointed to represent educators/administrators.

New board members were sworn in at the February 10, 2021 meeting and officer elections were held. Doyle Decker was elected to serve as Board Chair for 2021 and Sharon Whitaker was elected to serve as Vice Chair for 2021.

SPECIAL THANKS

The Board recognizes the following board members, whose appointments ended October 31, 2020, for their dedication and service to the Commonwealth of Kentucky through the Board of Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy:

Amy Adkins, RT(R)(CT)(MR), appointed October 2012, represented licensed radiographers with a post-primary certification, served as Board Chair from 2016-2020.

Karen Leek, RT(R)(CV) appointed October 2014, represented licensed radiographers.

Jaime Warren, CNMT, NCT appointed October 2014, represented licensed nuclear medicine technologists.

Melanie Sublett Marrs, appointed November 2017, represented citizens at large.

REMINDERS

- License renewal is completed annually during licensee's birth month
- Online renewal window opens on the first of the month prior to the month you are due for renewal and closes on the last day of the month
- Licensees do not submit CE certificates to the Board unless requested through an audit
- All licensees, except LXMOs, must maintain active status with ARRT or NMTCB
- Individuals CANNOT practice without a valid license

BOARD MEMBERS:

Doyle Decker, RT(R)(CT), Board Chair
Sharon Whitaker, RT(R)(M), Vice Chair
Jacob Hack, LXMO
Ryan Hamilton, RT(R)(T)
William Lay, RT(R)(CT)
Nancy Uhls, CNMT
Eric Burchfield, RT(R)(CT)
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SCHOLARSHIP FUND ANNOUNCEMENT

The Kentucky Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Scholarship and Continuing Education Fund was established in accordance with KRS 311B.050 for individuals seeking entry level or advanced education in the medical imaging and radiation therapy professions and for individuals seeking non-degree education, such as structured education or limited x-ray machine operator programs. [201 KAR 46:100](#) establishes requirements relating to the scholarship program.

Applications are accepted between January 1 and April 1 annually; the postmarked date will be used to determine submission date. Applications postmarked after April 1 will not be considered. In addition to the application form, eligibility requires the applicant to submit a current resume or curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, official transcripts from highest level of education achieved, and a written statement describing the applicant's professional goals. Recipients receive a scholarship award not to exceed \$1,500 annually.

Further information, instructions and application are available on the [Board's website](#). Applicants should review all related information, including the contract and promissory note.

2021 BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

At the February 10, 2021 meeting, the Board voted on the 2021 Board meeting schedule. Meetings will be held bimonthly on the second Wednesday of the month at 1:00pm. Committees of the Board will meet prior to the Board meeting. Meetings will be held virtually via Zoom until further notice. The link to the Zoom meeting will be shared on the website the day of the meeting. All meetings are open to the public; all are invited to attend.

Board Meeting Dates:

April 14, 2021

June 9, 2021

August 11, 2021

October 13, 2021

December 8, 2021

AMENDMENTS TO ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 28, 2020

The Board filed amendments to administrative regulations in May 2020. The effective date for the amendments was October 28, 2020. The following administrative regulations were updated:

[201 KAR 46:010](#)

[201 KAR 46:035](#)

[201 KAR 46:040](#)

[201 KAR 46:050](#)

[201 KAR 46:060](#)

[201 KAR 46:070](#)

[201 KAR 46:081](#)

[201 KAR 46:100](#)